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Prior to 1 December 1951 the Committee of Finance and Economics compiled the preliminary statistics of food production in Communist China during 1951. The production goal was 260,000 million catties, and 260,130 million were produced, thus surpassing the 1950 production figure of 240,200 million. In the major administrative areas the production was 31,280 million catties in North China, including Inner Mongolia; 67,700 million in East China; 15,220 million in Northwest China; 36,030 million in Southwest China; 71,000 million in Central-South China; and 38,900 million in Northeast China.

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Comment. The final figures will not be available until March 1952 when the final levy of farm taxes is completed. The figures given here may not be absolutely accurate, but are probably close to the actual production.

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